

MOUNT PLEASANT CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING – MARCH 25, 2010

**BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING MINUTES**  
**MARCH 25, 2010**

**PRESENT:**

Francine Aloj, President  
Laurie Donato, Vice President  
Vincent D'Ambroso  
Theresa Fowler  
James Grieco  
Carol Ann O'Connor\*  
Christopher Pinchiaroli

**ALSO PRESENT:**

Dr. S. Guiney, Superintendent of Schools  
M. B. Mancuso, District Clerk  
L. Sanfilippo, Business Manager  
N. Schimpf, Director of Special Education  
& Student Services  
Dr. M. E. Wilson, Director of Curriculum  
& Instructional Services  
B. Ferguson, WHS Interim Principal.  
M. Cunzio, Principal CES  
J. Schulman, WMS Principal  
E. Zai-Fiorello, HES Principal  
D. Evans, WHS Interim Assistant Principal  
S. Conley, WMS Assistant Principal  
D. Pirro, Director of PE/Health & Athletics  
Faculty & Staff  
Residents

\*arrived at approximately 9:30 pm.

**I. CALL TO ORDER:** Ms. Aloj, President, convened the March 25, 2010 meeting of the Board of Education at approximately 8:05 pm and asked everyone to stand for a moment of silence and the Pledge of Allegiance

**II. ANNOUNCEMENTS/INFORMATION ITEMS**

- ❑ **WHS Student Council:** Ms. Arianna Mingione, President, reported on the upcoming event, ' May Madness Day'. This event will raise money for Cystic Fibrosis. Ms. Mingione wished everyone a happy and healthy spring break.
- ❑ **WHS PTA:** Mrs. Annamarie Cerreta, Vice President, announced that Comedy Night has been rescheduled for May 15, 2010. Proceeds from this fundraiser will go to the WHS scholarship fund. Mrs. Cerreta reported at the next PTA meeting on April 21, 2010, a guest speaker will present information on distractibility and the teenage driver. The same presentation will be given to the students during the school day. Mrs. Cerreta reported that many PTA positions are available next year and encouraged parents to volunteer for those open positions. Ms. Cerreta wished everyone a great spring break.
- ❑ **WHS BLT:** Mr. Bruce Ferguson, Interim Principal, reported the BLT is finalizing their proposal on the Senior Internship Project, which will then be forwarded to the Superintendent of Schools. Mr. Ferguson welcomed Mr. Keith Schenker, the new High School Principal.
- ❑ **WMS PTA:** Mrs. Maureen Turchioe, Co-President, reported on the successful faculty basketball game and thanked the volunteers for their time and effort. Volunteers are needed to fill a few open positions on the PTA Executive Board next year.

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- **WMS BLT:** Ms. Sheila Conley reported the BLT discussed the budget and its effects on the Middle School and the results of the transportation survey which was distributed earlier in the year.

Prior to the Elementary PTA report, Mrs. Aloj, President, thanked the Elementary PTA for providing the refreshments at tonight's Board of Education meeting and last night's meeting, which was cancelled due to the power outage.

- **Elementary PTA:** Mrs. Jenn DeFlorio, President, reported on the following: Spring-O-Bingo; the toy drive which provided new games for indoor recess; the publication of the Elementary Directory and the upcoming joint PTA on April 28, 2010. Mrs. DeFlorio congratulated a third grade student at Columbus for receiving a merit award at the state level of the PTA Reflections program for photography. Mrs. DeFlorio wished everyone a great spring break.
- **Columbus BLT:** Mr. Michael Cunzio, Principal, reported that at their March 16<sup>th</sup> meeting, the BLT reviewed and discussed the budget, community survey and Citizen Budget Advisory Committee minutes. In addition, the reduction of half day conferences was discussed. Also, Mr. Cunzio thanked the PTA for supporting the Golden Guest days at Columbus Elementary School. The next BLT meeting will be a joint meeting with Hawthorne Elementary on April 7, 2010.
- **Hawthorne BLT:** Mrs. Ethel Zai-Fiorello, Principal, thanked the PTA and BLT members past and present for working together with staff to enrich the lives of our students. Ms. Zai Fiorello reported that at the last BLT Meeting the increased number of bus passes were discussed as well as the Board of Education's policy on transportation. Dr. Guiney and a member of the District's legal team attended the meeting. Due to the concerns relating to the bus passes, additional discussions will take place to address the issues. Ms. Ethel Zai-Fiorello reported that the ASPIRE after-school program will be evaluated. Also, the BLT is awaiting notification on the District's application for Federal STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) grant money.
- **SEPTA:** Mrs. Maria Jost, Vice President, reported on the following: Sunday, April 4, 2010, SEPTA will be hosting a community walk to benefit Autism Speaks; Tuesday, May 25, 2010, SEPTA will be holding its end of the year meeting at the Bradhurst House; the following Executive Board positions of President, Vice President, Treasurer and Corresponding Secretary are available next year. If anyone is interested in volunteering for these positions, please contact Maria Jost. Mrs. Jost invited everyone to take a look at their new website: [mpsepta.org](http://mpsepta.org).
- **Westlake Athletic Club:** Mr. Anthony Sardo, President, thanked Mr. Michael DiNardo for his work on the email newsletter. The Westlake Athletic Club is interested in holding summer sports camps. Mr. Sardo gave an update on the upper field scoreboard, and the coordination of fundraising. In addition, Mr. Sardo invited residents to attend the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Golf Day on June 14, 2010.

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**III. REPORTS**

- President, Board of Education: Mrs. Francine Aloj, President, gave an overview of the budget process. The process begins with a directive given by the Board to the Superintendent and ends with a proposed budget. In addition, Mrs. Aloj thanked the Teachers Association and Administrators Union for discussing the possibility of opening up their contracts and giving back a portion of their salary increases. Mrs. Aloj explained the Board is aware of the economic climate and is trying to come up with a fiscally responsible budget that everyone will support. Mrs. Aloj announced the appointment of the new high school principal, Mr. Keith Schenker. Also, Mrs. Aloj reported there are two open seats on the Board of Education this year and anyone interested in running should contact the District Clerk at 769-5500 for more information.
- Superintendent of Schools: Dr. Susan Guiney, Superintendent of Schools, gave an overview on the process utilized during the Westlake High School Principal search. Dr. Guiney spoke about Mr. Schenker's educational experience and introduced Mr. Schenker to the community. Dr. Guiney thanked Dr. Mary Beth Wilson who chaired the search committee and the community members, staff and students who participated in the interviewing process.

**IV. APPROVAL of MINUTES**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the minutes of the February 24, 2010 regular monthly Board of Education meeting and the March 10, 2010 Board of Education Meeting be approved.

Mrs. Aloj requested that the resolution be amended to separate the meeting dates as she was not present at one of the meetings.

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso to amend the minutes.

**VOTE: 6-0**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the minutes of the February 24, 2010 regular monthly Board of Education meeting be approved.

**VOTE: 5 – 1 (Mrs. Aloj abstained)**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the minutes of the March 10, 2010 Board of Education Meeting be approved.

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

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**V. OLD BUSINESS:** None

**VI. COMMENT ON NEW BUSINESS AGENDA ITEMS:** None

**VII. NEW BUSINESS – ACTION ITEMS**

**A) ACCEPTANCE – GRANTS, THE TEACHER CENTER OF CENTRAL WESTCHESTER**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D’Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Mount Pleasant Central School District Board of Education hereby accepts the following Professional and Curriculum Development Grants for the 2009-2010 school year from the Teacher Center of Central Westchester. The Board extends sincere appreciation to the Teacher Center for these generous awards:

<u>Hawthorne Elementary School</u>	<u>Amount Awarded</u>
Technology in Motion	\$2000
Ready, Set, Kindergarten	\$1400
Big Words for Little Learners	\$1400
SMART Document Camera: Creating a Technologically Advanced Classroom by Visually Displaying ANY Image	\$ 889
SMART Document Camera: Making Real World Connections and Lifelong Learners Through the Use of Advanced Technology	\$ 899
RTI: Response to Intervention in a Nutshell	\$1400
Cultivating Minds Through Creative Play!	\$1400
On Our Way to English – The Smartboard Way	\$1400
Fluency Matters	\$1656.45
Making Math Count!	\$1400
Seeing Language: Visualization as the Anchor to Understanding and Expression	<u>\$1400</u>
Total:	\$ 15234.45
 <u>Westlake Middle School</u>	
Collaborative/Coaching Pilot Project for Selected Group of Exploratory and Special Education Teachers	\$5,000
 <u>Westlake Middle School/Westlake High School</u>	
School for the Future Award entitled “Digital Composers: Teaching and Reaching the E-Generation”	\$3,000

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

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**B) APPROVAL – PROGRAM SUPPORT STIPEND 2009-2010**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That in accordance with the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Mount Pleasant Central School District Board of Education hereby authorizes a Program Support Stipend for Semester 1 and Semester 2 in the amount of \$3,000 each to be paid to Bruce Ferguson for the 2009-2010 school year as per Section 11N of the agreement with the Mount Pleasant Association of School Administrators.

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**C) APPROVAL – TRANSFER OF FUNDS**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Board of Education hereby authorizes the following budget transfers for the 2009-2010 year as specified below:

**TRANSFER FROM:**

<u>Account title</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Private Evaluation – Non-Employee	A2250408060000	\$5,000.00

**TRANSFER TO:**

<u>Account title</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Daytop Prep	A2250470070023	\$5,000.00

**EXPLANATION OF TRANSFER:**

To provide funds for related services approved by CSE

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**D) APPROVAL – LEASE AGREEMENT WITH PITNEY BOWES FOR DISTRICT OFFICE POSTAGE METER**

Motion made by Mr. D'Ambroso, seconded by Mrs. Fowler as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That in accordance with the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Mount Pleasant Central School District Board of Education hereby approves the lease agreement with Pitney Bowes for the postage meter located in the district office at a monthly cost of \$312 for 39 months, and authorizes the Superintendent to execute the agreement on its behalf.

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

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**E) APPROVAL – 2010/2011 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR**

Motion made by Mr. D'Ambroso, seconded by Mrs. Fowler as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That in accordance with the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby approves the attached calendar for the 2010/2011 school year.

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**F) APPROVAL – APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR**

Motion made by Mr. D'Ambroso, seconded by Mrs. Fowler as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That in accordance with the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Mount Pleasant Central School District Board of Education hereby approves the following administrative appointment:

Keith Schenker – Westlake High School Principal  
Commencement of Probationary Period: July 1, 2010  
Expiration of Probationary Period: June 30, 2013  
Tenure Area: School District Administrator  
Salary: \$165,000 annually

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**G) APPROVAL-AMENDMENT TO REQUEST FOR FMLA**

Motion made by Mr. D'Ambroso, seconded by Mrs. Fowler as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the request for FMLA, originally requested and approved at the January 20, 2010 Board of Education meeting for:

**Employee #1818**  
Leave to begin on January 7, 2010  
Leave to conclude on March 11, 2010

be amended as follows:

**Employee #1818**  
Leave to begin on January 7, 2010  
Leave to conclude on April 1, 2010

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**H) APPROVAL-PERSONAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE, PROFESSIONAL**

Motion made by Mrs. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Grieco as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That in accordance with the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the agreement between the Mount Pleasant Central School District

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Board of Education and the Mount Pleasant Teachers Association, the Board of Education hereby approves the following request for a personal unpaid leave of absence:

Employee # 1539  
Effective: September 1, 2010-June 30, 2011

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**I) APPROVAL – REQUEST FOR FMLA**

Motion made by Mrs. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Grieco as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby approves the following FMLA request in accordance with the Mount Pleasant Central School District Board of Education Policy No. 6551. Said request was reviewed by the Board of Education in executive session:

Employee #1924  
Leave to begin on February 7, 2010  
Leave to conclude on May 2, 2010

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**J) APPROVAL – UNPAID CHILD CARE LEAVE**

Motion made by Mrs. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Grieco as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby approves the following request for an unpaid child care leave, in accordance with the collective bargaining agreement between the Mount Pleasant Teachers Association and the Mount Pleasant Central School District:

Employee #1924  
Leave to begin on May 3, 2010  
Leave to conclude on June 30, 2010

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**K) APPROVAL - AMENDMENT TO LEAVE REPLACEMENT**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the leave replacement, originally requested and approved at the January 20, 2010 Board of Education meeting for:

SANTO CICCONE, Elementary  
Assigned To: Westlake Middle School  
Certification: Permanent Certification in Math 7-12

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Effective: January 4, 2010-March 11, 2010  
Salary: Placement: M.A. Step 1 : \$287.41 Daily Rate

be amended as follows:

SANTO CICCONE, Elementary  
Assigned To: Westlake Middle School  
Certification: Permanent Certification in Math 7-12  
Effective: January 4, 2010-March 26, 2010  
Salary: Placement: M.A. Step 1 : \$287.41 Daily Rate

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**L) APPROVAL – EXTRA CURRICULAR ASSIGNMENT 2009/2010 SPRING SPORTS**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That in accordance with the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Mount Pleasant Central School District Board of Education hereby approves the following Extra Curricular Assignment for the 2009/2010 school year:

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Position</u></b>	<b><u>Stipend</u></b>
Rich Hennessy	Baseball – Modified 1	\$3,919
Steve Pesick	Baseball – Modified 2	\$3,919
Tina Nicodemo	Softball – Modified 1	\$3,919
John King	Softball – Modified 2	\$3,919

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**M) APPROVAL – ESTABLISHMENT OF BARBARA RUSSO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Mount Pleasant Central School District hereby approves the request for establishment of the Barbara Russo Memorial Scholarship Fund and that the District shall receive donations to this expendable fund that will be held by the District in trust.

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**N) APPROVAL - SPECIAL EDUCATION OUT OF DISTRICT PLACEMENT AGREEMENT, 2009/2010**

Motion made by Mr. Grieco, seconded by Mr. Pinchiaroli as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That in accordance with the recommendation of the Director of Special Education and Student Services, the Board of Education hereby approves the



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following Special Education Out of District Placement Agreement for the 2009/2010 school year:

City School District - City of White Plains: 1 student @ \$61,518.60

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**O) APPROVAL – CPSE and CSE STUDENT PLACEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS**

Motion made by Mr. Grieco, seconded by Mr. Pinchiaroli as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the recommendations for placement of students with disabilities as recommended by the Mount Pleasant Central School District's Committee on Pre-School Special Education and the Committee on Special Education at their meetings listed below are hereby approved. Copies of said recommendations are on file in the office of the District Clerk:

CPSE:            January 27, 29, 2010  
                     February 1, 3, 9, 23, 2010

CSE:             December 2, 2009  
                     January 4, 13, 21, 27, 28, 2010  
                     February 2, 3, 4, 22, 24, 2010

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**P) APPROVAL – STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

Motion made by Mr. Grieco, seconded by Mr. Pinchiaroli as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Board of Education hereby approves and authorizes the Board President and Superintendent of Schools to execute a certain Stipulation of Settlement in connection with a Special Education Impartial Hearing involving Student ID #:9015014, a copy of which was previously reviewed by the members of the Board of Education.

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

**Q) APPROVAL – STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

Motion made by Mr. Pinchiaroli, seconded by Mr. Donato as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Board of Education hereby approves and authorizes the Board President and Superintendent of Schools to execute a certain Stipulation of Settlement in connection with a Special Education Impartial Hearing involving Student ID #:9900008, a copy of which was previously reviewed by the members of the Board of Education.

**VOTE: 6 - 0**

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**R) APPROVAL - VOTER REGISTRATION & RELATED DATES**

Motion made by Mr. Pinchiaroli, seconded by Mrs. Donato as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Mount Pleasant Central School District Board of Education hereby approves the following for the 2010 Budget Vote and Board of Education Election:

Voter Registration will be held on Wednesday, May 12, 2010, from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM in the Westlake High School lobby.

Board of Education Nominating Petitions must be filed in the Office of District Clerk by 5:00 PM, Monday, April 19, 2010.

The Proposed 2010/2011 Budget will be available in each school building and the District Office, on Wednesday, April 21, 2010, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the District Clerk be authorized to order four voting machines from Westchester County for the purpose of voting on Tuesday, May 18, 2010; and that the election of Board of Education members be by plurality; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the District Clerk be instructed to remove from the registration books residents who have moved from the District, are deceased and/or disqualified, and that the District Clerk be instructed to prepare the legal advertisement for publication in The Journal News, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That Marie D'Ambroso be appointed Assistant District Clerk for the purpose of receiving nominating petitions for election to the Board of Education and to perform the duties of Acting District Clerk at the Annual Election on May 18, 2010 during the absence or disability of the District Clerk; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the following individuals be appointed Assistant District Clerks for the purpose of general registration of qualified voters in accordance with the resolution which was adopted by the voters of the Mount Pleasant Central School District at the District Annual Election, June 4, 1975:

Anne Behan - Westlake High School

Lorrie Villalba - Westlake Middle School

Ann Marie Aniades - Columbus Elementary School

Debra Udice - Hawthorne Elementary School

Marie D'Ambroso - District Office

**VOTE: 5 – 1 (Mr. D'Ambroso abstained)**

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**S) APPROVAL-CONSENT AGENDA**

Motion made by Mr. Pinchiaroli, seconded by Mrs. Donato as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED: That the attached Consent Agenda 09/10, P-10, Professional Personnel Appointments is hereby approved. All appointments are contingent on fingerprint clearance through the New York State Education Department. All salaries and hourly rates are based on the Mount Pleasant contract between the Board of Education of the Mount Pleasant Central School District and the Mount Pleasant Central School District Teachers Association

**VOTE: 6 – 0**

**At this point, the Board of Education took a short break before the Proposed Instructional Budget Presentation. The Proposed Instructional Budget is available on the District Website: [www.mtplcsd.org](http://www.mtplcsd.org).**

**VIII. OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC DISCUSSION AND COMMENTS:** Students addressed the Board in support of guidance counselor, Mr. Nick DiPaolo. In addition, students expressed their appreciation to Mr. Bruce Ferguson, Interim Principal of Westlake High School. Residents commented on the proposed cuts in the proposed budget as well as the 0% tax increase. Some residents spoke in favor of a tax increase; while another resident favored maintaining the 0% budget.

**IX. ADJOURNMENT:** At approximately 11:10 pm, motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso and unanimously adopted by the Board to enter into Executive Session to discuss negotiations. At approximately 11:28 pm, motion made by Mrs. O'Connor, seconded by Mr. Fowler and unanimously adopted by the Board to adjourn the executive session and return to public session. At approximately 11:35 pm, motion made by Mrs. Donato, seconded by Mr. D'Ambroso and unanimously adopted by the Board to adjourn the March 25, 2010 Board of Education meeting.

Mary Beth Mancuso  
District Clerk

Approved: 4/27/10

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**SCHEDULE 09/10, P-10 PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL APPOINTMENTS**

**DETENTION CENTER FOR 2009-2010 – WESTLAKE HIGH SCHOOL**

Theresa DiLeo  
Joni Patterson  
Janet Salciccioli  
Schuyler Smith

Not to exceed a total of 10 hours per person for the 2009-2010 school year.

Salary: \$64/hour per the agreement with the Mount Pleasant Central School District Teachers Association.

# MOUNT PLEASANT CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

## 2010/2011 SCHOOL CALENDAR

### September 2010

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	

### October 2010

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

### November 2010

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
1	<del>2</del>	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	<del>24</del>	25	26
29	30			

### December 2010

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	<del>23</del>	24
27	28	29	30	31

### January 2011

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

### SEPTEMBER

1-2 – SUPT. CONF. DAY\*  
 3-6- LABOR DAY WEEKEND  
 7 – SCHOOLS OPEN  
 9 & 10 – ROSH HASHANAH

### OCTOBER

11 – COLUMBUS DAY

### NOVEMBER

2 – ELECTION DAY-EARLY DISMISSAL  
 11 – VETERAN'S DAY  
 24 – THANKSGIVING RECESS-EARLY DISMISSAL  
 25-26 – THANKSGIVING RECESS

### DECEMBER

23 – HOLIDAY RECESS – EARLY DISMISSAL  
 24-30 – HOLIDAY RECESS  
 31 – NEW YEAR'S EVE

### JANUARY

3 – SCHOOL RE-OPENS  
 17 – MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY

### FEBRUARY

21-25 – WINTER RECESS

### MARCH

18 – PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY\*

### APRIL

18 - 25 – SPRING RECESS

### MAY

30 – MEMORIAL DAY

### JUNE

15-24 - REGENTS  
 23 – LAST DAY – STUDENTS  
 24 – LAST DAY – STAFF  
 GRADUATION

**\*STAFF REQUIRED ATTENDANCE**

**HALF DAY**

**NOTE:** In the event schools are closed for more than two (2) days for emergencies, the order for make-up days will be March 18<sup>th</sup>, April 25<sup>th</sup>. ALL STAFF IS EXPECTED TO BE IN ATTENDANCE ON MAKE UP DAYS.

**\*\* As new NYS testing requirements are announced, some calendar adjustments may be necessary.**

Approved by Board of Education:

NUMBER OF DAYS

	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	TOTAL
Students	16	20	19	17	20	15	22	15	21	17	182
Teachers	18	20	19	17	20	15	23	15	21	18	186

### February 2011

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
		1	2	3
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28				

### March 2011

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

### April 2011

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

### May 2011

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

### June 2011

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	

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**SEPTEMBER**

Wednesday	1 <sup>st</sup>	Supt. Conference Day* - No Students
Thursday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Supt. Conference Day* - No Students
Friday-Monday	3 <sup>rd</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup>	Labor Day – Schools Closed
Tuesday	7 <sup>th</sup>	SCHOOLS OPEN
Thursday-Friday	9 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup>	Rosh Hashanah

**OCTOBER**

Monday	11 <sup>th</sup>	Columbus Day
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**NOVEMBER**

Tuesday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Election Day – Early Dismissal
Thursday	11 <sup>th</sup>	Veteran’s Day
Wednesday	24 <sup>th</sup>	Thanksgiving Recess – Early Dismissal
Thursday/Friday	25 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup>	Thanksgiving Recess – Schools Closed

**DECEMBER**

Thursday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Holiday Recess – Early Dismissal
Friday-Thursday	24 <sup>th</sup> – 30 <sup>th</sup>	Holiday Recess – Schools Closed
Friday	31 <sup>st</sup>	New Years Eve – Schools Closed

**JANUARY**

Monday	3 <sup>rd</sup>	SCHOOLS RE-OPEN
Monday	17 <sup>th</sup>	Martin Luther King Day – Schools Closed

**FEBRUARY**

Monday – Friday	21 <sup>st</sup> -25 <sup>th</sup>	Winter Recess – Schools Closed
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**MARCH**

Friday	18 <sup>th</sup>	Professional Development Day*-No students
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**APRIL**

Monday – Monday	18 <sup>th</sup> – 25 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Recess – Schools Closed
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**MAY**

Monday	30 <sup>th</sup>	Memorial Day – Schools Closed
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**JUNE**

Thursday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Last Day of School – Students
Friday	24 <sup>th</sup>	Last Day of School –Staff

\* STAFF ONLY

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